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THE NEWS THIS MORNING

Foreign.-Lobengula, King of the Matabele, is has stopped at Melilla the Riffans having disappeared from the vicinity of the forts. Emperor Francis Joseph has requested Prince Windischgraetz to form a Cabines, === Soclaffats stormed a meeting of German Liberals after a sharp fight, === Six persons are now ed to have been drowned in the burning of the steamer City of Alexandria; seven are missing.

Congress.-Both houses adjourned without day. = Senate: The nomination of James R. Roosevelt as secretary of Embassy at Lendon was confirmed in executive session. ---- House: A resolution was passed, after considerable exeltement, to pay employes during the recess, selent despotism which, made well-nigh inbut it was amended by the Senate, and the hour of adjournment arrived before further action could be taken.

Domestic,-The President issued a proclamation appointing Thursday, November 30, as Thanksgiving Day. \_\_\_\_ Twenty-four new cases of yellow fever were reported at Brunswick, Ga. == The second trial of ex-Detective Daniel Coughlin for alleged complicity in the murder of Dr. Cronin was begun in Chicago Governor McKinley made four speeches to large audiences in Ohio - Henry W. Cannon, president of the Chase National Bank, of this city, lectured at Union College, Schenec-"Banking and Currency." tady, on

City and Suburban.-The Republican County Committee held a great mass-meeting in Cooper Union; speeches by Chauncey M. Depew, Elihu Root, Henry C. Robinson and others. == Superintendent Byrnes reported that the police were not lax in their duty in regard to the alleged assault on Dr. Parkhuest's agents, = The body of John Armstrong, the engineer at the stables where a boiler explosion killed five men on Thursday, was found. - Judge Dixon sentenced the convicted members of the Board of Freeholders at Paterson. \_\_\_ John Y. McKane, of Gravesend, defied the power of the Supreme Court to arrest one of his lieutenants. — The Cunard steamship Lucania broke the western record by 29 minutes. Winners at Elizabeth: Stonenell, Galloping King, The Bully, Chiswick, St. Anthony, Sir Richard, Soundmore. = Stocks quiet and irregular, opening strong, declining steadily and closing with a slight raily. Final changes were usually declines. Money on call remained easy at about 114 per cent.

west winds; cooler. Temperature yesterday: Highest, 60 degrees; lowest, 50; average, 54%.

The Senate vesterday confirmed the appoint ment of James R. Roosevelt, but could not find time to act on that of William B. Hornblower. Comment is unnecessary.

John Y. McKane, the Boss of Gravesend. seems to think that he is more powerful than the Supreme Court of the State. He needs a lesson of the most drastic character.

The wrangle in which the House of Representatives became involved yesterday, and which lasted until the moment of adjournment. was typical of the character of the present Congress as manifested in one branch or the other ever since the extraordinary session began. From what has taken place thus far, no reflecting person can look to the coming regular session with placidity. If business is to be transacted decently and in order, there must be sweeping changes in rules, and some members in both houses' must put a severe curb on their natural propensities.

Francis H. Weeks, the defaulting lawyer, was brought back to this city yesterday and is any a prisoner in the Tombs. The friendly act of Costa Rica in delivering him up to the

ported from New-Orleans that Weeks had made up his mind to plead guilty, but in court he asked for some days' delay before entering his plea. That he has anything to gain by a long legal contest is not probable; but the nature of his crime is not such as to entitle him to special mercy, even if he should save the city the cost of trying him.

Those sapient London detectives who gave it out that an attempt had been made to blow up Westminster Bridge with dynamite must have been greatly chagrined on learning the true character of the alleged bomb. A little more discretion would have saved them from being the laughing stock of newspaper readers the world over. To use a phrase that perhaps may not be readily understood in Scotland Yard, they went off at half-cock, with the customary result.

The outcome of the investigation which superintendent Byrnes undertook to make regarding the assault upon the detectives of Dr. Parkhurst's society last week is disappointing. In private the Superintendent has affirmed that the affair was an outrage, but in his report he finds that nothing of much consequence occurred, and that anyhow the police did their duty. A number of recent occurrences have shown that members of the police force have a disposition to stand by each other at any hazard. It will be most unfortunate if that spirit prevails in the higher grades of the

THE RECORD MADE UP.

Congress has adjourned, and for a month there will be no further display of Democratic incompetence and unwillingness to defend and promote the National welfare by wise legislation. The members will disperse to their homes to hear the verdict of their constituents. There ought to be no doubt as to the nature of that verdict, for the record contains conclusive evidence of what is due to every one of them. It shows a Democratic majority in both branches, called together to repair so far as possible existing misfortunes and to avert universal disaster, its power to serve the country in a great emergency limited only by the patriotism and sagacity of its members. The record shows this majority engaged for three months in making an unparalleled display of cowardice, selfishness and incapacity, those who were willing to do right but didn't know how and those who meant to do wrong and understood just how to proceed combining to discredit themselves and distress the people. The record shows, on the other hand, a Republican minority, numerically unable to control the course of legislation, but so courageous, disinterested and loyal as to command the constant admiration and gratitude of the country, and finally to save it from the permanent dishonor and disaster which the majority was ready to in-This is the record. Politicians in and out of

Congress who imagine that they have hitherto confused or can now pervert it have little reason for indulging such a fancy. Experience has shown that a multitude of persons can be persuaded to sustain policies which have yet to demonstrate their folly, and even to ignore mischief already done so long as they do not feel its consequences. But the present situation does not encourage either of those moods. There are few who have not tasted the fruits of Democratic victory and found them bitter; few who have not experienced in anxiety or want the results of confiding the common welfare to a reported to have been captured. === Firing | party whose whole history is a demonstration of its unworthiness. Tens of thousands in this State alone have learned in suffering what we believe they will proclaim in votes next Tuesday. It was proved a year ago that predictions may count for little, but the lesson of accomin Vicana, and were repulsed by the police plished facts is impressive. That lesson has been sternly taught during the last eight months. It will be strange indeed if the coming election does not prove that it has been thoroughly learned.

In New-York especially, shame as well as loss has been the consequence of Democratic supremacy. The people of this Commonwealth have been affronted and humiliated by an invincible by secret corruption and open fraud, orders them to fortify its power still further by putting a subservient criminal on their highest bench. It is not reasonable to believe, it is scarcely decent to admit the possibility, that they will promote their own injury and confirm their own disgrace by a failure to rebuke the Democratic Congress and the Tammany machine.

# WANTED-WATCHERS!

If a thousand young men of this town want a one-day's lesson in politics, which will entertain them greatly for the time being and instruct them for the rest of their lives, they can get it on Tuesday next, and, incidentally, serve the Republican party well.

The Campaign Committee of the Republican Club, Heary L. Einstein, chairman, which is niding the County Committee to the best of its ability, calls upon the members of that club for Republican "watchers" at the polls for Tuesday next. There is a chance here, however, for other Republicans, who are properly vouched for. They will be supplied with official commissions, which will entitle them to stay at the polls all day, watch the voting and the count, and perform certain other duties tending to secure an honest vote and an honest count. The law provides for watchers; and these persons have a legal standing at the polls. The Republican party wishes to be represented in every election precinct on Tuesday next, by two or three Republican watchers at least, who can go in a body, perform their duties, sun-The Weather.-Forecast for to-day: Fair; ported by each other's advice, do their part to

prevent fraud, and report violations of the law to the Republican authorities. Last year, in the National election, General Collis and many Republican citizens not allied with the regular district and county organizations gave themselves the pleasure of a day at the polls as watchers. They gained thereby an inner view of the workings of the Demo cratic machine in this town, novel, edifying and refreshing. There was no violence at the polls, but in a few downtown districts the tactics of the football field were tried upon the watchers to test their mettle and staying power. only, however, to be discontinued the moment the watchers proved themselves equal to the occasion. But the polls were inadequately manned last year by the Republicans, and it is proposed to go into the present election with

a more complete equipment. This is volunteer work, in the main, and is worthy of men of the highest standing. Good lungs, a clear head, a knowledge of their duties and stalwart Republicanism are the only requirements for the position.

Republicans who wish to serve as watchers and who can come properly vouched for by members of the Republican Club or by any Republican in good standing in this city, if they will present themselves at the Republican Club, No. 450 Fifth-ave., next Monday evening. November 6, and show their credentials, United States when it was under no obligation | will receive their instructions. They must come to do so ought not to be forgotten. It was re- vouched for, however. No one will be appoint public considerations alone were to govern the utterly out of place in the Legislature. So with

ed a watcher unless known, or unless introduced and guaranteed by some well-known Republican.

Members of the Republican Club are especially invited either to serve in that capacity or to be represented by one or more men for whom they can vouch.

### BULLYING DOES NOT PAY.

There is one lesson to be learned from the discussion of the silver question which has been going on now for nearly twelve months that ought not to be lost on the American people. Especially ought it to be heeded by those persons in public life who have done most of the talking and have been laboring under the most excitement. It is that, on the whole, bullying in this country does not pay. A majority has no need of it and never resorts to it, and a minority can never accomplish anything except to make itself ridiculous by attempting it. Minorities are not permitted to rule in this country, however they may strut and bluster and threaten. Sooner or later they come to grief. The angry and turbulent minority that construes the forbearance of a patient majority as evidence of timidity or weakness makes a serious mistake. The majority exercises forbearance because, in the consciousness of strength and the certainty of the result, it can afford to. A very formidable minority undertook some thirty years ago to bully the country and ride roughshod over a majority of the people. Since the failure of that enterprise bullying and bravado have been some what at a discount until the opening of the silver campaign which ended so ignominiously on Wednesday. The close of that campaign has left its lesson and its moral

At the beginning of it the Western and Southwestern skies seemed lurid with forked light ning and charged with wrathful thunderbolts The ears of the puissant Pennover flapped wildly over Oregon; the luminous Llewelling breathed fire and brimstone over the plains of Kansas; the two Stones of Missouri and Mississippi were in eruption all up and down the Mississippi Valley on the rapacity of the mort gagee and the dreadfulness of existing systems of finance, and the wild-eyed Waite, of Colorado, was howling for blood to the horses' bridles. There were conventions in various places at which grown men, supposed to be en dowed with ordinary intelligence and not hitherto suspected of emotional insanity, ranted and raved like madmen about the money power and threatened a new secession of the silver-producing States. Then, when Congress met in extra session for the proclaimed pur pose of repealing the Silver Purchase act, a dozen or a score of statesmen came to Wash ington blazing defiance and threatening to stop the wheels of Government and hold everything at a standstill. Senator Teller announced that he had brought his winter clothes. Stewart threatened to talk till the end of time. Peffer was loaded with language that he could put on tap and draw indefinitely. Allen was good for a burst of anywhere from seventeen to twenty hours of continuous eloquence; and the boast was that no power on earth could bring the Senate to a vote on the repeal.

Meantime the country waited. Waited pa tiently. Through all these weeks it has en dured distress and suffered hardship and loss confident of the final result. Through all these weeks the minority have blustered and threat ened and bullied, holding the Government still by sheer wind power, impudence and audacity And it all ended on Wednesday, in their utter defeat, without so much as the shadow of a concession to any of their bullying demands. There's something more in this than the asser tion of a purpose to act honestly and maintain the credit of the Nation, important as that is It is a demonstration of the futility of any attempt of a minority to ride over the will of the people. The country cannot be bullied.

## WHAT IS TO COME.

We are going to see glorious good times. Republican legislation has been repealed, and unlimited prosperity is close at hand. These hopes are cherished by good Democrats all over the country. It is not by any means pleasant to Republicans to cast doubts upon them. Every Republican would be glad to see the best and brightest of these anticipations realized. Nevertheless the cold facts are somewhat more useful in the end than hopes. It is not the fact that the business of the country has in any practical sense materially improved. There has been a gain of greater or less extent in some of the speculative markets. But it is the fact, nevertheless, that the people stopped buying goods to an astonishing extent in the months of May and June, and have not yet begun to buy at the old rate, although five or six months have elapsed, and the consumption of products of industry has to a remarkable extent been arrested. The question is when will the purchases of the people revive and to what ex-It may be admitted that this is not a con

soling view. The men who take a hopeful view of the situation when a Democratic Administra tion is in power are quite likely to be in error. One cannot tell bow far the natural course of events may arrest the tendency toward recovery. But one thing it is quite safe to say, that unless there is a marked improvement in the disposition to purchase products of industry during the months to come there will be found but little cause for encouragement in the great industries. Now the Democratic party has decided to extend the uncertainty for some months longer. The majority in the House has determined, regardless of Republican opposition, to put off action on the tariff bill until the next session, which means practically until some time next year. No other than a partisan reason can be given for this delay. The Democrats of Congress are as able now as they will be one month or three months hence to define the policy of their party, and to determine what it intends to do, what industries it intends to prostrate and what industries it is willing to spare. Yet the party has decided not to define its policy at present. Thus the paralyzing uncertainty hangs over business for some time to come. It is a blunder in character like that which was made by the President when he refused to call Congress together in an extra session in March. The repeal of the silver purchase clause could just as well have been voted at that time as at any later date. Had it occurred then, the action of Congress would undoubtedly have prevented some, and perhaps a large part, of the disasters which have since resulted. But the Democratic party saw fit to make the country wait, and suffer and stagger along from month to month under enormous losses, in the hope that the Democratic majority in Congress might somehow get itself united, or more nearly united, so that a measure on the most vital point might be passed without the aid of Republican votes. The result has been incalculable disaster to the country, and entire

failure to unite the Democratic party. It is a question whether the proposed delay of the tariff bill will have any better effect. Evidently the delay in action on this measure has no other than purely partisan reasons. If

questionably act at once. It has been decided candidates in Brooklyn are of the same stamp. to postpone decision about this most vital mat- Will the people of New-York and Brooklyn ter for some months to come. Thus the great never lose their patience? Will they always industries of the country are to wait for several consent to be misrepresented by such rascals months before they can know what conditions as Tammany and the Kings County Ring insist are to be provided by Democratic legislation. upon putting in public office? If the two rings Assuredly the country will hold the party in are successful on Tuesday, and the complete expower responsible for the prostration of indus- posures of the characters of their unworthy try and the many disasters which this wholly candidates and of the infamous conspiracies unnecessary delay is likely to cause,

# LAWLESSNESS AT GRAVESEND.

Justice Cullen disappointed public expectation by declining to intervene in the interest of honest elections in Gravesend. He dismissed the application for a mandamus to compel John Y. McKane's registrars to obey the law. He had plausible explanations to offer for his hesitation. The evidence of Mr. Gaynor's representatives was contradicted by the registrars. The Court held that it could not presume that the inspectors in Gravesend intended to neglect their duty. We think it could safely have done so on the strength of the affidavits showing that the lists had been withheld. Justice Cullen found it more expedient, or possibly more convenient, to deny the application for a mandamus and then to read the inspectors a plain lesson upon their duty, ending with a benevolent expression of personal belief that they would not neglect it.

It is hardly necessary to say that if Justice Cullen had persuaded himself that the election officers appointed by McKane were law-abiding citizens, who would set their faces against fraud and aid Mr. Gaynor in preventing illegal voting, he occupied a unique position in Brooklyn. His credulity was not shared by any other intelligent man. Technical issues and pettifogging devices had nothing to do with the main question. The registry returns on their face furnished conclusive evidence of a deliberate conspiracy to violate the law. With a population of 8,418 by the last census it was impossible to have 6,218 legally registered voters in Gravesend. The men who had placed those fake lists on the registry and were obstructing every effort to obtain copies of them had done so for the purpose of casting a fraudulent vote next Tuesday. No other conclusion was open to any fair-minded man who examined the figures. Even if the same foul and dastardly game had not been played year after year until it was a notorious public scandal, the registry lists which were audaciously withheld from inspection were conclusive proofs of guilt.

Justice Cullen would have done better to hold no parley with the rascals and lawbreakers of Gravesend. He gave them the benefit of the doubt, and they magnified the favor into a decision unreservedly in their favor. The Court had practically decided that citizens demanding copies of the lists were entitled to them by law, and must have them. The gang of lawbreakers paid no heed to the interpretation of the law, nor to the threats with which it was accompanied. When Mr. Gaynor's force of fifteen copyists arrived at Gravesend and demanded what the Court had declared must be given up to them, they got nothing but defiance and jeers. The inspectors, so far from being moved by the Justice's moral suasion and indulgent faith in their good intentions, were confident that the Boss had the Court be hind him, and that lawbreaking had been sane tioned by the dismissal of the application for

a mandamus. Justice Callen was thus placed under obligation to carry out the threats which had been made in the morning. He had promised that the full resources of the law would be employed if his instructions should be unheeded. Accordingly, late in the day he issued an order for the arrest of one of the inspectors and sumnoned the others to appear before him to-day. We trust that he will deal with them vigorend, even if every regiment in Brooklyn has to be ordered out.

Indeed, the election in Kings County has become nothing less than a direct issue of honsty and law on one side against fraud and lawlessness on the other. Whoever votes with the Democracy will be nothing less than an accomplice of election thieves and lawbreakers.

## FIGHTING FRAUD AND BOODLE.

The honest citizens of New-York and Brooklyn have a tremendous task before them. They will be overwhelmed on Tuesday by the forces of dishonesty and fraud unless they can prevent the casting and counting of an immense illegal and fraudulent vote in both cities. The Tammany Ring and the Kings County Ring are fighting for their lives. They have enormous resources. They have huge corruption funds. Tammany officeholders receive millions of dollars in salaries in this city. The Ring officeholders in Kings County draw large sums from the public funds. Assessments on these officeholders, assessments on candidates, and political contributions from the men who have been enriched by the plunder of the people in both cities make up appalling totals of boodle, which will be used without stint to affect the result on Tuesday. Both rings are determined to elect Judge Maynard if a dishonest ballot and a dishonest count can secure that result. Unless all the people of both cities who are on the side of decency, morality and public order, will exert their utmost energies to defeat the conspiracy against the welfare of both communities the armies of evil will prevail.

The two rings have nominated candidates who do not deserve the support of the people of New-York and Brooklyn. One of the most conspicuous candidates on the Tammany ticket in this town is Colonel John R. Fellows. He has already been tried and found wanting in the District-Attorney's office. It will be greatly to the injury of this city if he is successful on Tuesday. Several of the Tammany candidates for important offices deserve the heartiest hostility of good citizens. No one can deny, moreover, that Tammany has sunk to the lowest depths in its selections for the Senate and Assembly. Timothy D. Sullivan is a typical Tammany candidate for the Legislature. Tammany has decided to promote him from the Assembly to the Senate. This Sullivan's record at Alhany has been of the most unwholesome kind. He is a political heeler of exactly the class which ought never to be permitted to disgrace this metropolis in a public place, at Albany or anywhere else. The City Reform Club has directly accused Sullivan of corruption in the Legislature again and again. Sullivan bas never made any effort, so far as is known, to refute the published charges of this club, or to bring the matter to an issue.

Others of the Tammany candidates for the Senate and Assembly are of no better character than Sullivan. In the Hd Assembly District the Tammany candidate for Assembly is a bruiser, a ruffian of the lowest type. Another Tammany candidate for the Assembly is a bookmaker and professional gambler. In the XIth District the assassin, John J. Scannell, who is the Tammany leader in that district, has put forward for the Assembly a young man without any qualifications for the place, whose record has been unpleasant, who is a person of no substance, weight or ability, and who would be

action of Congress, the two houses would un- many other Tammany candidates. The Ring which are on foot to elect these candidates do not avail to bring about the success of honest men, the outlook for New-York and Brooklyn is dismal indeed.

> There has been no more detestable trick on the part of the men who are running the Ring ampaign in Brooklyn than their action in seizng upon one sentence in ex-Mayor Low's speech, wresting it from its connection, and then spreading it through the city as Mr. Low's indersement of Mayor Boody. Of course this use of the sentence totally perverts its meaning. Virtually these men place in his mouth words which he did not utter. It is not to be believed that any intelligent person will be deceived by this green-goods game. This use of Mr. Low's words has, however, given him an opportunity to write a straightforward letter on the subject to Mr. Gaynor, which, though brief, is a valuable supplement to his able speech.

hausted Senator Hill; or else it convinced Chairman Sheehan that the Senator was not B. Van Nostrand, Mr. and Mrs. A. Van Cortlandt, the man to discuss the Maynard issue throughout the State.

Democrats in Propklyn are professing intense satisfaction in the registration, and claim that the principal increase is in the Democratic This suggests, of course, the extent to which they have resorted to improper means in order to swell the list of voters-a point as to which there is no doubt, as the frank statements of "The Eagle" prove, However, the Republican wards make a good showing in the registration, and there is every sign that a large Republican vote will be cast. Furthermore, it is certain that great numbers of independent Democrats will vote against the Mc-Laughlin Ring and against Maynard. In fact, prominent Democrats are admitting that the prospects of both Boody and Maynard, so far as Brooklyn is concerned, are exceedingly slender. Yet Republicans should not be deceived by these representations. Nothing but work of the hardest kind in these last days of the campaign can insure a Republican victory.

Mayor Boody says he wants something specific. What is the matter with the detailed indictment of his administration drawn up by the Brooklyn Democratic Club? There is nothing vague about those allegations, Mr.

Lord Salisbury's warning, uttered some years ago, to the effect that Morocco was far more likely than the Balkans to be productive of complications calculated to bring about a European war, is apparently within measurable distance of its fulfilment, since the dispatch of a Spanish expeditionary force to North Africa has led not only to sharp remonstrances on the part of France, but likewise to a decision by the Paris Government to increase the military forces stationed along the western and southern frontiers of Algeria. The conflict between Spain and Morocco is, in the present instance, of a far more serious character than those which have taken place from time to time between the two countries, since it assumed the form of a full-fledged attack by the Moors on the Spanish fortress of Melilia, which comprises the town of the sam name, built on a peninsula united to the Mo roccan shore by a rocky neck of land, almost most important of the footholds which Spain has retained on the northern coast of Africa. It has formed an integral part of the Spanish realm ever since 1496, when it was captured by the Duke of Medina-Sidonia, and, in view of the loss of life sustained by both the garrison ously. The law must be enforced in Graves- and the population of the town during the reastonishing that the Spanish Government should dinner party in the red room at Deimonico's, followed by adopt measures to obtain reparation for the outadopt measures to obtain reparation for the out-rage in the form of a cession of some terri-tory, which, however, is certain to lead to

Alexander Beckwell, a negro who died in New-Orieans last week at the age of a hundred years, was said to be of royal African blood. He was enticed away from his home in Africa while a boy by slave-traders, and sold to a Virginia planter, whose name he took. Professor Tyndall has recently returned to his

home in Haslemere, England, after several months sojourn at his Swiss retreat at Aip Lusgen. He is said to have benefited by his summer in the

The Rev. Samuel D. Ferguson, missionary bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church at Cape Pal-mas, Africa, is in Baltimore. He is a native of Charleston, S. C., and is the only colored member of the Episcopal House of Bishops now in the United States. Despite his advanced age, the veteran violinist

Sivori has recovered from his recent accident

in Paris, and he has left that city for his home

in Genoa. Sivori, who made his first appearance in England as far back as 1827, was a pupil of Paganini, who composed six violin sonatas for Francis Orsier, a Cincinnati merchant who is lying at the point of death in that city, is a Frenchman with a romantic story. He was a well-known

journalist in France forty years ago, but got into trouble with the Government and was forced to come to this country as an exile. He fought through the war in the Union Army, and then started in business in Cincinnati. The Princess of Wales's health has been greatly mproved by her visit to Denmark, according to the London papers. She has been absent from England

IT WOULD HAVE ITS KIGHT NAME, AT LEAST If the old purchase system of the English army were applied to the United States diplomatic service it would be a great improvement on the present method. It would enable the idle and rich to enter the profession permanently without scandal and thus transfer the whole business from politics to finance. From The Providence Journal.

SPOILS DISPENSING CAN NOW BE RESUMED. From The Minneapolis Tribune.

ENTIRELY WITHOUT A POLICY.

When Mr. Reed said in the House on Wednesday in regard to the tariff he said the truth. Policy means a settled method by which a great interest in managed. Nothing could be farther from that than the views which are entertained by the gentlement charged with the framing of the Tariff Reform bill.

"THE GLORIOUS DECLINE OF HUMBUG."

From The New-York Sun.

THE AUTUMN DANCE AT TUXEDO

NEW-YORKERS AND THEIR GUESTS FILL THE PEAUTIFUL CLUBHOUSE AMONG THE HILLS. The annual autumn dance at the Tuxedo Club house last night was one of the most successful and enjoyable ever given at the club. There was probably less of a crowd than was present at the dance last year, but every room in the clubhouse had been engaged for weeks ahead, and the cot-tages were filled with house parties. The plazzas were inclosed and hung with greens, autumn leaves and Chinese lanterns, while the handsome ballom was ablaze with light, and decorated with

autumn foliage and chrysanthemums of every Early in the evening there were many dinner parties. Most of the guests came up or about 10:30 o'clock, and the cotillon was not danced until 11:15 o'clock. Walker Breese Smith led. The favors were toy balloons, dolls and fancy triffet. Supper was served at midnight in the large dining-room. Elles Alador's Hungarian Band played for Among the subscribers and their guests were Mr. and Mrs. George Griswold, Mrs. E. A. Post, Miss Post, Mr. and Mrs. William Kent. Mr. and

Mrs. Grenville Kane, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tuckerman, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hunt. James Brown Potter, E. N. Tailer, Mr. and Mrs. John Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. corge L. Rives, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Davis, Mrs. S. S. Whiting, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A Whittier, Miss Whittier, George H. Hall, F. D. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mortimer, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Cammack, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henning, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Breese Smith, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Halsey, Mr. and Mrs. Macgrame Coxe, the Misses Crawford, Pierre Lorillard, jr., Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Watrous, Charles Mr. and Mrs. R. Fulton Cutting, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Seton, jr., Mr. and Mrs. James Brown Lord, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Davis, James M. Varnum, the Misses Varnum, Alfred R. Conkling, Miss Endicott, Wendell Goodwin, Miss Daisy Hamilton W. G. Hamilton, J. Coleman Drayton, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander T. Van Nest, Mr. and Mrs. De Lancey Nicoli, Mrs. Neilson Brown, Miss Brown, William M. Harriman, Mrs. Morgan G. Barnwell, Mrs. F. Stewart Kennedy, the Misses Kennedy, of Edinburgh; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Harriman, Joseph H. Taft, Baron M. Rosenkrands, Mr. and Mrs. Albin Garrett, Barton Willing, H. Wolcott Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Wilmerding, Lawrence Kip, Henry Reding, of San Francisco; George G. Ronalds, Cambridge Livingston, C. C. Baldwin, William Cutting, Paul Stevenson, Reginald Ronalds, P. Lorillard Ronalds, Ir., Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Benedict, who drove up from New-York on a coach, having as their guests Miss Rene Coudert, Miss Benedict, Edgar H. Booth, De Forest Manice, G. De Forest Grant and E. C. Benedict; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goelet, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. McVickar, Mr. and Mrs. S. Van R. Cruger, Mr. and Mrs. C. Oliver Iselin, Edward Livingston, Lawrence Turnure, H. McK. Twombly, J. J. Van Alen, Cornelius Vanderbilt, C. F. Watson, W. Seward Webb and William C. Whitney. W. G. Hamilton, J. Coleman Drayton, Mr. and Mrs.

### M. B. CURTIS, THE ACTOR, DISAPPEARS. San Francisco, Nov. 3.-It is stated to-day that

M. B. Curtis, the actor, who is wanted as a witwith bribery in connection with the Curtis mur-der trial, left this city last Wednesday on an eastbound train, and is now out of the jurisdiction of the State courts. Mrs. Curtis testified yester-day that she did not know where her husband was, but supposed he was hunting in the moun-tains. ss in the case of McMaddus and Dunn, charged TSCHIGORIN WINS A CHESS GAME.

### Petersburg, Nov. 3.-The fifteenth game of the chess match between Tarrasch and Tschigoria

was opened by the former to-day, and was won by Tschigorin after forty-five moves. Present score: Tarrasch, 7; Tschigorin, 5; drawn, 3. DE PACHMANN'S EXTRA MATINEE.

## matinee supplementary to the three Chopin re-

citals given by M. de Pachmann will take place in Chickering Hall this afternoon, with the following

Drogramme:

Thirty-two variations, C minor, Beethoven; Praeludium et Fuga, op. 35, No. 5, Mendelssohn; Rondo Capriccioso, op. 4, Mendelssohn; Impromptu, op. 28, Chopin; Polonaise, op. 40, No. 1, and Mazourka, op. 59, No. 3, Chopin; Etude de Concert, No. 2, and Legende, "St. Francois de Paul," Liszt; Etude, "Si oiseau J'etais," Henselt; Carnaval, op. 9, Schumann.

### ILLNESS OF WALTER P. PHILLIPS

Walter P. Phillips, secretary of the Lotos Club and general manager of the United Press, is lying iii from typhoid fever at the home of his mother in From typhola fever at the nome of his mother in Providence. He was attacked with the disease two or three weeks aro, but it has not taken a serious form, as a letter was received from him here yesterday saying that he was getting well.

### MR. HARGOUS'S DINNER AND DANCE. Robert L. Hargous, who a few months ago returned

bies, which, however, is certain to lead to objections on the part of the other European and white chrysanthenams. The room was decorated with palms and chrysanthenams, and the chandellers were hung with strumers of begonies and chrysanthenams. Mrs. Dunean Elliot assisted her brother in receiving the guests. Among those at the table were Baran Echardstein, Mr. and Mrs. George B. De Ferest, Miss Livingston, Mr. and Mrs. Fernando Yanaga, Mr. and Mrs. Steven. James M. Waterbury, Mr. and Mrs. C. Mr and Mrs. Sidney Dillon Ripley, Mr. and Mrs Havemeyer, Miss Feilows, Miss Sands, Miss Field, Joseph Harriman, Frederick O. Beach, R. Livingston Beeckman, F. Gray Griswold, Frederick Frelinghuysen.

## TO GIVE A LATIN PLAY AT HARVARD.

Boston, Nov. 3 (Special).-Classical circles of Harvard are much interested just now over preparations for the presentation of a Latin play, "Phormic of Terence," to be given by the undergraduates. Profe sor Greenough, of the Latin department, has prepared the libretto. It will con-Latin department, has prepared the libretto. It will con-tain both the Latin and English words of the play and a prolegne written by Professor Greenough. The leading parts will be taken by John R. Oliver, of '94, the post of the class, and J. T. Stickney. It will probably be produced April 19 next. The music for the play has offered the greatest difficulties of all. To hit upon some scheme which shall be appropriate and exact has been a problem which Professor F. D. Allen has had much labor to solving. After earrying investigation and many experiproblem which Professor F. D. Alien has high much alone in solving. After careful investigation and many experiments he has at last hit upon semething which is near enough to the ancient music and at the same time will not be too strange to our own ears. Professor Allen will not be too strange to our own ears. will compose all the necessary accompaniments. In fact, nearly all the music is now ready.

### DEATH OF ALEXANDER FISHER. Alexander Fisher, an old actor, died at the Home for

Incurables, at Fordham, on Thursday afternoon, from paralysis. He had been sick for several months, and had been at Fordham for about three weeks. He was seventyparalysis. He had been sick to seeks. He was seventyone years old. He was a member of the old stock company of the Wainut Street Theatre, in Philadelphia, and
afterward travelled with yartous companies. For some
time he played Denman Thompson's part in "The Old
Homestead" in a road company. His last engagement was
with the Theatre of Arts and Letters, in which he played
in "Shadows" and "Squirrel Inn." He was for thirty
years scretary of Shakespeare Lodge, No. 1, Actors' Order
of Priendship, of Philadelphia, and at the time of his death
was a member of Edwin Forcest Lodge, No. 2, of this city.
He was also a member of a Philadelphia Masonic iodes.
The funeral will take place to-morrow at the rooms of the
Actors' Order of Friendship, No. 16 West Twenty-seventhst., and the burlal will be in Evergreens Cemetery. The
pailbearers will be F. F. Mackey, James L. Carhart,
Archibaid Cowper, John Sutherland, Edward M. Holland,
Louis Aldrich, H. S. Parker, Joseph A. Wilkes, William Louis Aldrich, H. S. Parker, Joseph A. Wilkes, William F. Clifton and Harley Merry.

## THE ILLNESS OF GEORGE KEMP.

George Kemp, who has been lying ill for a short time at his home, No. 720 Fiftheave., was much better yesterday. On Thursday evening his condition was said to be serious, and Dr. Janeway and two other physicians were at his bedside. Tan bark was spread in the avenue for some distance from the house to deaden the noise made by vehicles. Last night it was said at the house that Mr. Kemp was out of danger. His son, at Yale, has not been sent for, so it is evident that the family does not consider his condition critical.

Mr. Kemp is owner of the Hotel Buckingham property, the Beigravia apartment-house and other valuable red

## NOTES OF THE STAGE.

Immediately after the performance of "Louis XI" to night in Chicago the London Lyceum Theatre Company will prepare to start for this city by special train, which leaves Chicago as soon as practicable after the night's entertainment. The company will reach here early Monday morning. Henry Irving and Miss Ellee Terry may remain until Sunday afternoon, when they will take the flyer. Abley's Theatre will be opened on Weineslay evening with Lord Tennyson's "Becket," with the same scenery, appointments, properties and essuances with which scenery, appointments, properties and essuances with which scenery injut of the week and on Saturday afternoon. On Saturday night Mr. Irving will reappear in "Louis XI." Arthur Clark, business manager of John Drew's com-From the Civil Service Reform Association of Boston to "The Evening Post" office in New-York, the facts are pravely acknowledged and openly deplored. The trust idea, in the famous and fondled Cleveland phrase, "Public office is a public trust," has given place to the "trough" idea, says "The Post." Public office is a public trough for Democrats, and the Mugwump pretensions of the late Mugwump idel have been flipped out. The noble animal around whom they, the Mugwumps, so joyously and confidently built a china shop has turned out to be a buil, and is now raging. The pleces will be worth about as much as a Mugwump tear, certainly no more.

In justice to Mr. Cleveland we must ask for the production of the pletige he has broken. When did he make one, "this trip"? Where was there pre-liminary to his recent candidacy and canvass one of those fresh and praiseworthy semi-private episties through which he was once accustomed to reliterate the first principles of Mugwumpery with almost boylsh simplicity? Mr. Cleveland's school days are over. He is a graduate a Democrat.

Arthur Clark, business manager of John Drew's com-pany, is dangerously sick at the Gramercy Park Hotel. A dinner is to be given to Henry Irving on November